

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
AUSTIN DIVISION**

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
Plaintiff,**

**v.**

**(1) STONEY BRETT BARTON, and  
(2) CHRISTOPHER LYNCH,  
Defendants.**

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**CASE NO. A-19-CR-298 LY**

**NOTICE OF APPEARANCE OF FORFEITURE COUNSEL**

TO THE HONORABLE LEE YEAKEL, UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE:

Notice is hereby given to the Court and all other parties in interest of the appearance of Assistant United States Attorney Robert Almonte II as additional counsel for the United States.

It is requested that any and all notices, pleadings, orders, and other papers *as they pertain to asset forfeiture* be served upon the United States Attorney for the Western District of Texas, addressed as follows: Assistant United States Attorney Robert Almonte II, United States Attorney's Office, 903 San Jacinto Blvd., Suite 334, Austin, Texas 78701.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on November 25, 2019, a true and correct copy of the foregoing instrument was electronically filed with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF System,

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At this time, no attorney has been appointed to receive notice as to Defendant (2) Christopher Lynch.

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Assistant United States Attorney